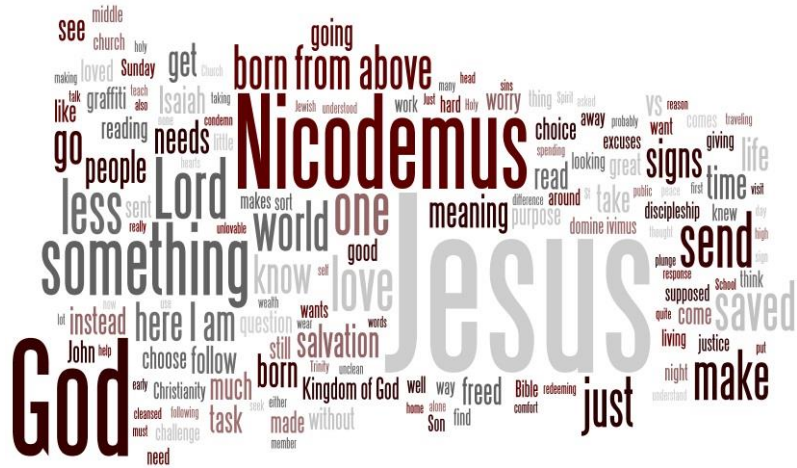


May 26, 2024
Trinity Sunday



St. Timothy Presbyterian Church
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Monday-Thursday: 9:30 am to 2:30 pm
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St. Timothy Mission Statement

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, our mission is to: seek God, follow Christ, serve and love our neighbor.

Worship is also available via Live Stream just before 10:30 am or later in the afternoon as a video. Just use this link for both options:
<https://video.sttimothypcusa.org>

Welcome!

PRELUDE

INTROIT

PASTORAL WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 29:2, 4, 10-11

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness.

The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is majestic.

The LORD sits enthroned over the flood; the LORD is enthroned as King forever.

The LORD gives strength to his people; the LORD blesses his people with peace.

Let us worship the LORD our God!

HYMN

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

see insert

CALL TO CONFESSION

SILENT CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we know that you are always there to lead us, yet we somehow lose our way and fall back into fear. We confess that we have stumbled, and we recognize our need for you to lift us up and help us start again. Forgive us our failings, restore us to strength, and reconcile us with you, ourselves, and each other, through the power of Christ and the gift of your Spirit. Amen.

*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Brothers and Sisters in Christ, hear the good news: We did not receive the spirit of slavery, but rather the spirit of adoption. Our guilt has departed; our sin is blotted out, for we are God’s beloved children—forgiven, loved, and free. May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" # 623
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Allelu. Amen.

A MOMENT FOR ILLUMINATION

*Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path.
Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Isaiah 6:1-8

A TIME FOR GOD'S CHILDREN Matt Johnson

SPECIAL MUSIC "God So Loved the World"

GOSPEL READING John 3:1-17

SERMON Pastor Joel Puntigam
"Sent by God, Born of the Spirit"

HYMN "The Solid Rock" see insert

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried, he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory "America the Beautiful"

Doxology # 625
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

Holy God, your love overflows in the gift of your Spirit. Bless these gifts that we offer that they may spread your blessing in a world of hurt and need; in Christ's name. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER

Day by day, day by day, O, dear Lord, three things I pray: To see Thee more clearly, Love Thee more dearly, Follow Thee more nearly, Day by day.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please step up to the microphone to make your announcement so everyone (including online guests) can hear what is being said.

HYMN "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" see insert

SENDING AND BENEDICTION

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CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing, Fill our hearts with joy and peace, Let us each, Thy love possessing, Triumph in redeeming grace. O refresh us, O refresh us, Traveling through this wilderness.

POSTLUDE

**Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year B, Volume 2*

Sunday, May 26th
Following Along in Worship

1. Today is Trinity Sunday. Who make up the three parts of the Trinity?

2. What is something that you love about God?

3. What was the Time for All of God's Children about today?
 - a. Why I love bacon wrapped hotdogs
 - b. A new life in Jesus
 - c. God's not dead – he's surely alive!

4. What can we do to be born of the Spirit of God?

5. In the sermon, Pastor Joel will teach from John 3:1-17. Circle all that are true about this passage:
 - a. A man named Froofy came to see Jesus
 - b. This man knew Jesus was from God
 - c. Jesus told him he had to be born again
 - d. Nicodemus knew exactly what Jesus meant
 - e. Nicodemus was confused by what Jesus meant
 - f. Jesus said that in order to be born again, we:
 - i. Need to be born of water and Spirit
 - ii. Need to be born of chips and cokes
 - iii. Need to be born of flesh and blood
 - iv. Need to let the wind of the Spirit live in us

Serving in Worship

Greeter: Dennis Delezenne
Ushers: Lou Suveg, Patty Kreitmeyer
Worship Assistant: Cassy Sautter
Keyboard: Linda Delezenne
Technology: Tim Chanko
Safety Officer: Ron Martin
Tellers: Paula Boegner, Bob Taylor
Fellowship Hour: Faith Education

Weekly Bible Studies

After Worship Bible Study –at approximately 12:30 pm. We are doing “post sermon studies” in the Pastor’s office. All are welcome!

Zoom Bible Study – See you Monday, June 3

We are studying prayers of the church.

This is the link address to join: <https://study.sttimothycusa.org>

Zoom Bible Study – Tuesday at 12:30 pm

We are studying the book of Acts.

This is the link address to join: <https://study.sttimothycusa.org>

Adult Weekly Bible Study - Thursday – 9:30 am

Our study is on the passage that Pastor Joel will be preaching on June 2 – Mark 2:23-3:6.

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Last Saturday, we hosted a picnic for our Friendship Club friends. We had 80 friends and staff for a wonderful picnic-themed lunch and games. Mike Baum and Greg Kateff provided the music with many friends coming up and singing. We played bingo with lots of gifts.

This was truly an amazing time for all. Laughter, lots of smiles, and hugs left everyone feeling like we had lived up to our mission statement.

Your Mission & Outreach Committee



Chancel Flowers



Happy heavenly birthday to my beloved mom, Edna Lawson.
Patty Kreitmeyer

Celebrating



Birthdays:

May 29 Beth Olko

Anniversaries:

May 26 Rick and Joni Dunn (24 years)



Wednesday, May 29 – Life-Line Screening

Saturday, June 22 – Hope Lunch Packing

Sunday, June 23 – Church Picnic

Friday, June 28 – Saturday, June 29 – Prayer Vigil



Hi Ladies, the Peonies are beginning to bloom. Join us for a **visit to Nichols Arboretum** in Ann Arbor on Wednesday, May 29th. Meet at church at 9:00 to carpool. Afterwards we will find a place to have lunch in Ann Arbor. Any questions, see Mary.

Church Weekly Schedule

Sunday	9:20 AM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
5/26	9:45 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 AM	Family Worship
		https://video.sttimothyusa.org
	11:30 PM	Fellowship Hour
	12:30 PM	After Worship Bible Study
Monday		Memorial Day
5/27		Office closed
Tuesday	9:00 AM	STARS
5/28	12:30 PM	Zoom Adult Bible Study
		https://study.sttimothyusa.org
	6:00 PM	Girl Scouts
Wednesday	All Day	Lifeline Screening
5/29	9:00 AM	Ladies to Nichols Arboretum
	6:30 PM	Strategic Planning
Thursday	9:30 AM	Thursday Morning Bible Study
5/30	5:55 PM/7:00PM	Handbell Reh/Chancel Choir Reh
Friday 5/31	6:00 PM	Special Olympic Cheer
Saturday 6/1		
Sunday		
6/2	9:45 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 AM	Family Worship
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	11:30 AM	Fellowship Hour
	12:15 PM	After Worship Bible Study

*Are you in need of **prayer** or do you know someone that is in need of **prayer**? Maybe you want to give thanks for answered prayer. Sometimes it is helpful and meaningful to put these things in writing. Take a ribbon and write your prayers, praises and thanks on as many as you need. Hang them on the fences. It is beautiful and symbolic to watch our prayers being lifted up.*

Holy, Holy, Holy

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.*

*Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide Thee,
Through the art of sinful man Thy glory may not see;
Only Thou art holy – there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in pow’r, in love and purity.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!
Amen*

The Solid Rock

*My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus’ blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus’ name.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
All other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.*

*When darkness veils His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace;
In ev’ry high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.
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*His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood;
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.*

*When He shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in Him be found:
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.*

My Country, ‘Tis of Thee

*My country, ‘tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing: Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrim’s pride, From ev’ry mountain side
Let freedom ring.*

*My native country, thee, Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love: I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills; My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.*

*Let music swell the breeze, And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom’s song: Let mortal tongues awake,
Let all that breathe partake; Let rocks their silence break,
The sound prolong.*

*Our fathers’ God, to Thee, Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing: Long may our land be bright
With freedom’s holy light, Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King!*

May 26, 2024



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